

Texas Department of Public Safety Texas Division of Emergency Management

Texas State Operations Center



Situation Awareness Brief

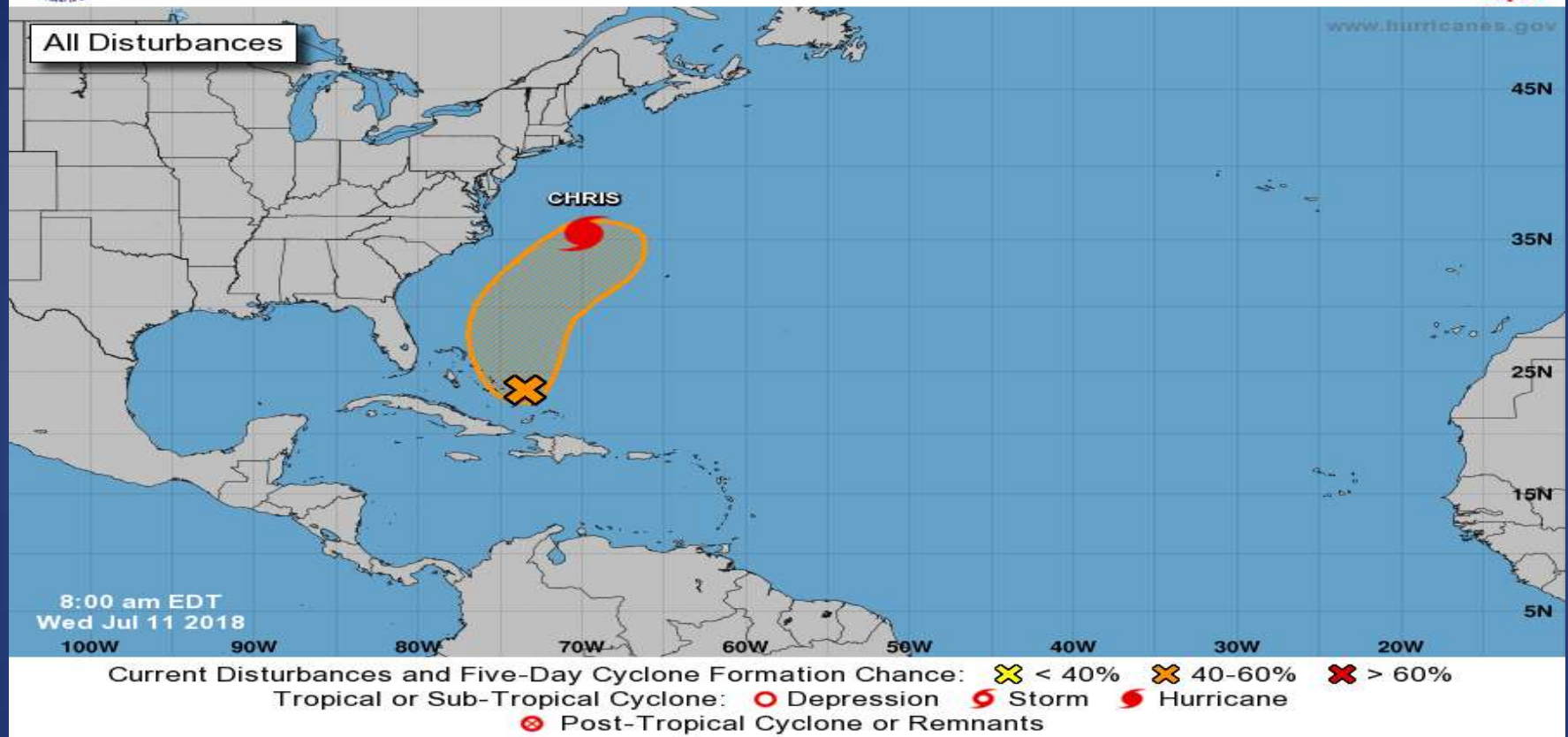


Wednesday, July 11th 2018
As of 0900 CST

Tropical Weather Awareness



Five-Day Graphical Tropical Weather Outlook National Hurricane Center Miami, Florida



The National Hurricane Center is issuing advisories on Hurricane Chris, located more than 300 miles east of the North Carolina Outer Banks.¹ A large area of cloudiness and disorganized thunderstorms associated with the remnants of Beryl is located over much of the Bahamas and extends northwestward over the western Atlantic for a few hundred miles. Little or no development is expected today, but conditions could become a little more favorable later in the week while the disturbance moves slowly northward over the western Atlantic. The previously scheduled Air Force Reserve reconnaissance flight to investigate the disturbance this afternoon has been canceled. Additional information on this system can be found in High Seas Forecasts issued by the National Weather Service. * Formation chance through 48 hours...low...20 percent. * Formation chance through 5 days...medium...50 percent

Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

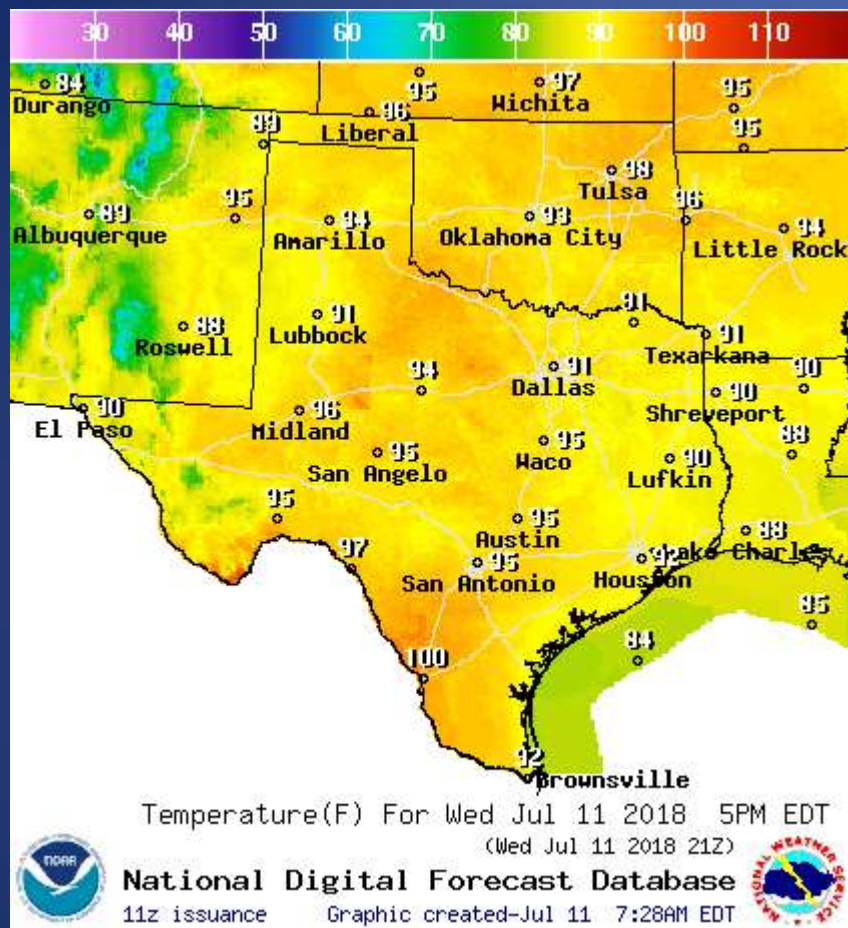
DATE	EVENT / INCIDENT	LOCATION (City/County)	Final Report: Y/N
07/10/18	Final Report of a Natural Gas Line Rupture with Evacuations	Upshur County	Y
07/10/18	Initial Report of a Road Closure (IH20)	Ector County	N
07/10/18	Initial Report of the Western Thicket Fire	Potter County	N
07/10/18	Update Report #7 of the Surprise Fire	Palo Pinto County	N
07/10/18	Initial Report of the 337 Fire	Palo Pinto County	N
07/10/18	Final Report of the Western Thicket Fire	Potter County	Y
07/10/18	Initial Report of the Potter 19:23 Fire	Potter County	N
07/10/18	Final Report of a Road Closure (IH20)	Ector County	Y
07/10/18	Silver Alert Activation	Comal County	N
07/10/18	Final Report of the Surprise Fire	Palo Pinto County	Y
07/11/18	Final Report of the Potter 19:23 (Golf Course) Fire	Potter County	Y

Informational Products

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DATE	SUBJECT
07/10/18	FEMA Region 6 RRCC Daily Situational Awareness Report
07/11/18	NWS Fort Worth: Public Information Statement, 24 Hour Rainfall Amounts
07/11/18	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Wednesday, July 11, 2018 for FEMA Region 6

Weather Forecast

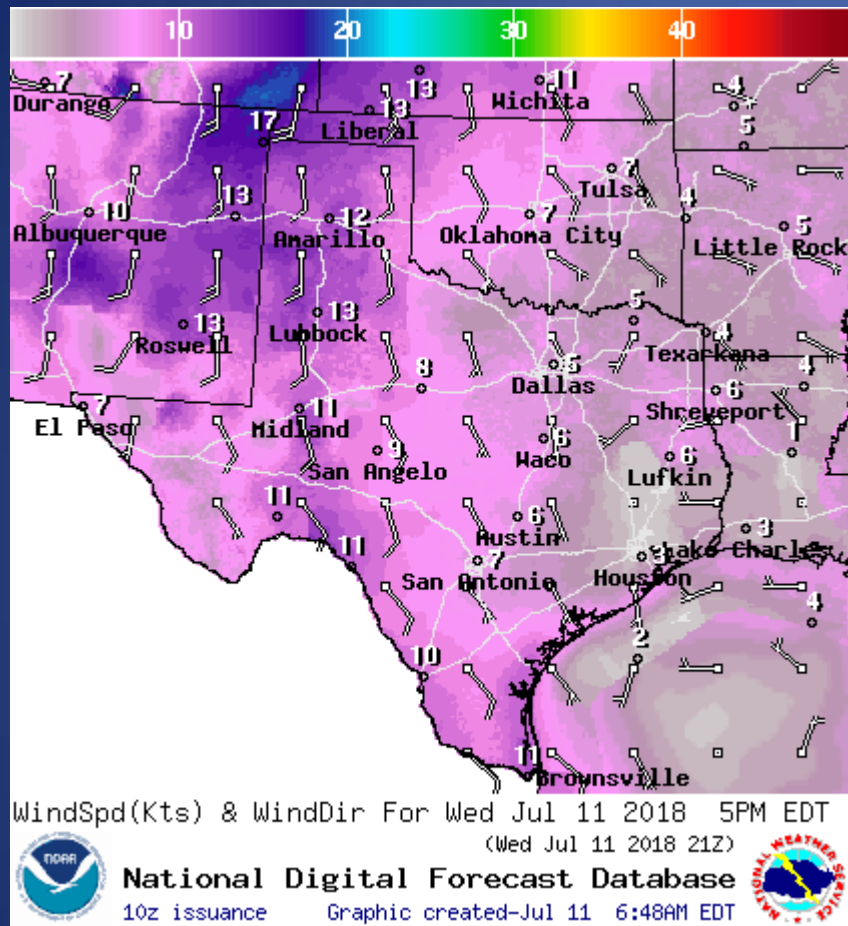


Highs

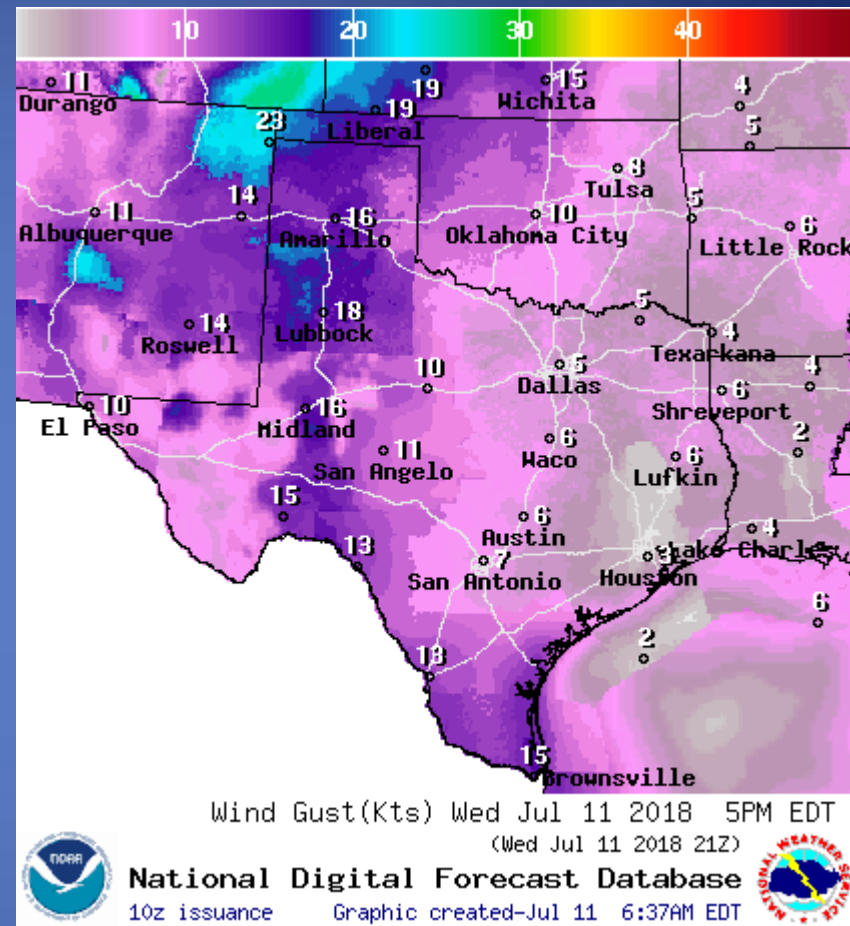


Lows

Weather Forecast

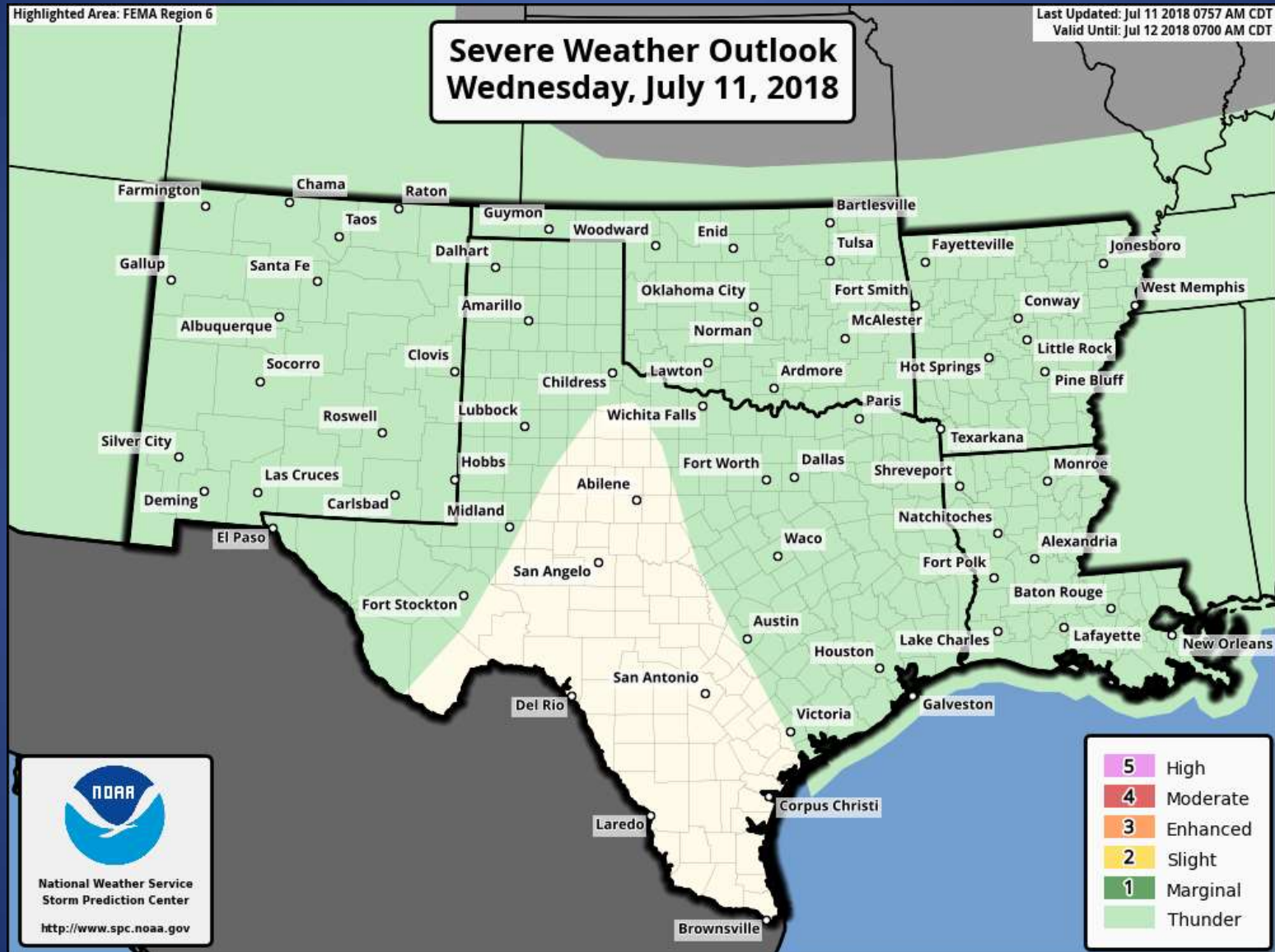


Wind Speeds



Gusts

Hazardous Weather



Hazardous Weather



Showers and thunderstorms are expected once again today, with the highest chances along and east of I-35. Chances decrease the farther west you go. Storms today will be capable of producing heavy rainfall which could lead to localized flooding, in addition to strong downburst wind gusts as their cores collapse. High temperatures will be in the low to mid 90s.



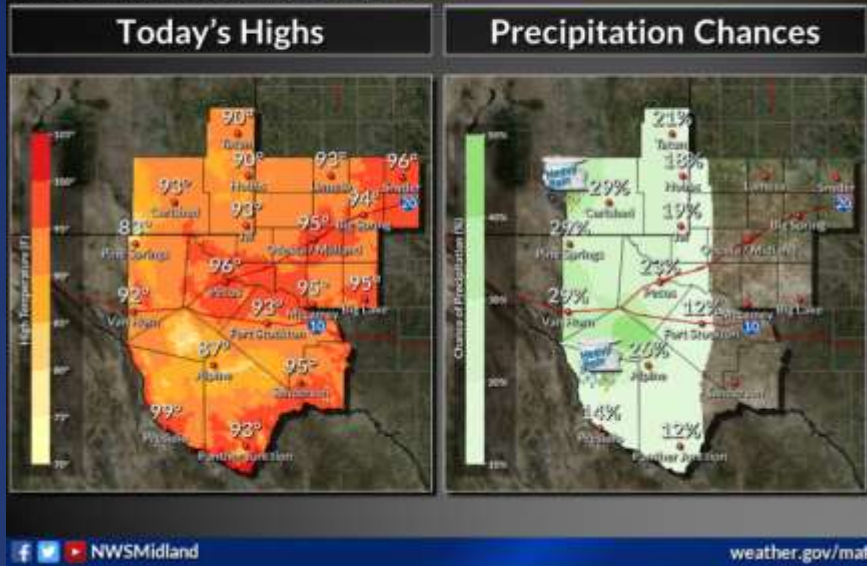
High temperatures will range from the middle 80s to lower 90s this afternoon with showers and thunderstorms developing across the area. Some of the thunderstorms that develop could produce gusty winds, locally heavy rainfall, and deadly lightning. Showers and thunderstorms will gradually decrease during the evening with overnight low temperatures ranging from the lower to middle 70s.

Hazardous Weather

Warmer Today

Thunderstorms possible, especially across higher terrain

Weather Forecast Office
Midland/Odessa, TX
Issued July 11, 2018 3:28 AM CT

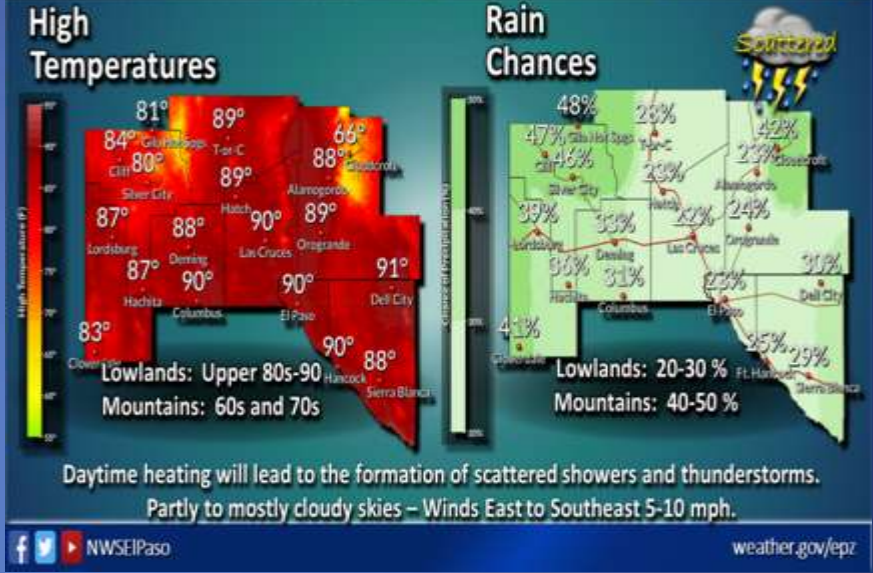


The below normal temperatures will come to an end for most today, as temperatures rebound closer to normal for July, with highs in the lower to middle 90s for most. Scattered showers and thunderstorms are possible this afternoon and evening, especially across the higher terrain to the west and the adjacent plains. Similar to the last few days, heavy rainfall, localized flash flooding, lightning, and gusty winds are the primary concerns.

Wednesday in the Borderland

The 2018 North American Monsoon continues

Weather Forecast Office
El Paso, TX
Issued July 10, 2008 5:32 PM

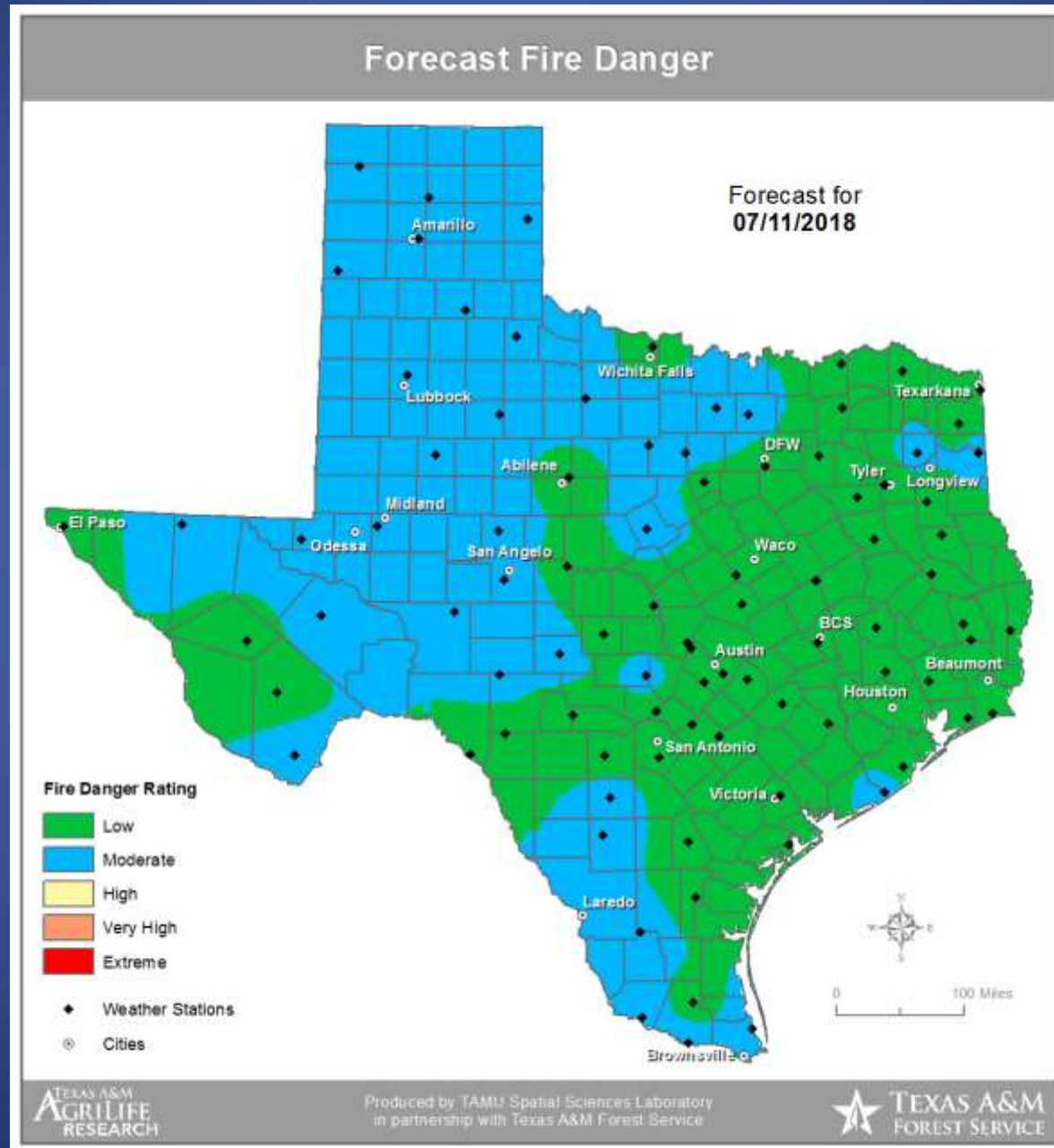


Wednesday will be another day with deep and rich monsoon moisture streaming into the Borderland on east and southeast winds. Just like the previous days this will mean a relatively cooler day than normal, but also a quite humid day. Daytime heating will build up clouds with plenty of afternoon showers and thunderstorms expected to last into the late evening hours

Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
07/10/18	Arroyo and Small Stream Flood Advisory	Hudspeth and Midland Counties
07/10/18	Flash Flood Warning	Hudspeth, Midland/Odessa Counties
07/10/18	Severe Thunderstorm Warning	Dallas and Tarrant Counties
07/10/18	Flood Advisory	Dallas and El Paso Counties

Fire Danger Forecast



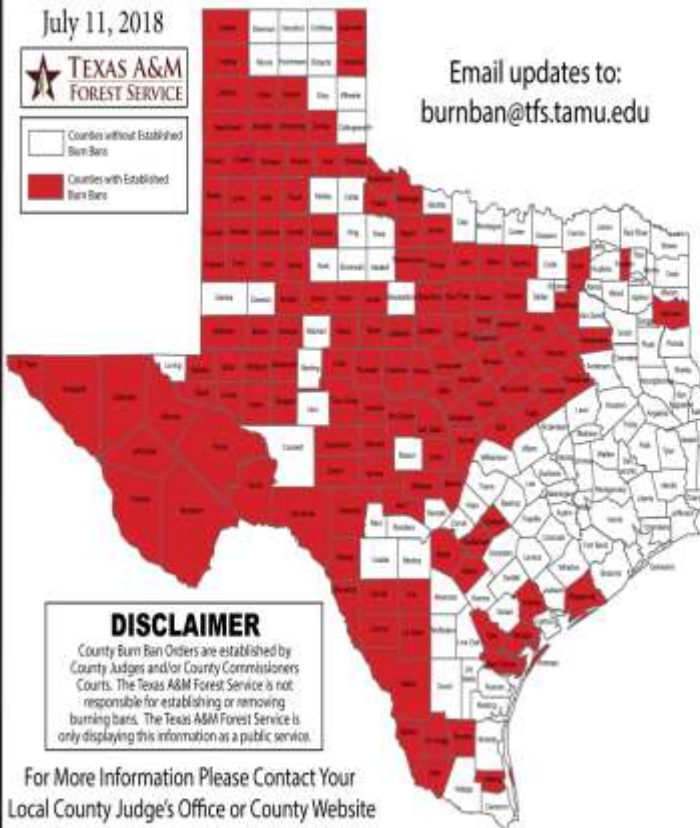
Burn Bans and KBDI INDEX

OUTDOOR BURN BANS

July 11, 2018



Email updates to:
burnban@tfs.tamu.edu



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For More Information Please Contact Your
Local County Judge's Office or County Website

RED FLAG WARNINGS: www.weather.gov
Burn Ban RSS feed available at <http://tfsfp.tamu.edu/wildfires/burnban.xml>

Counties with Burn Bans: 136

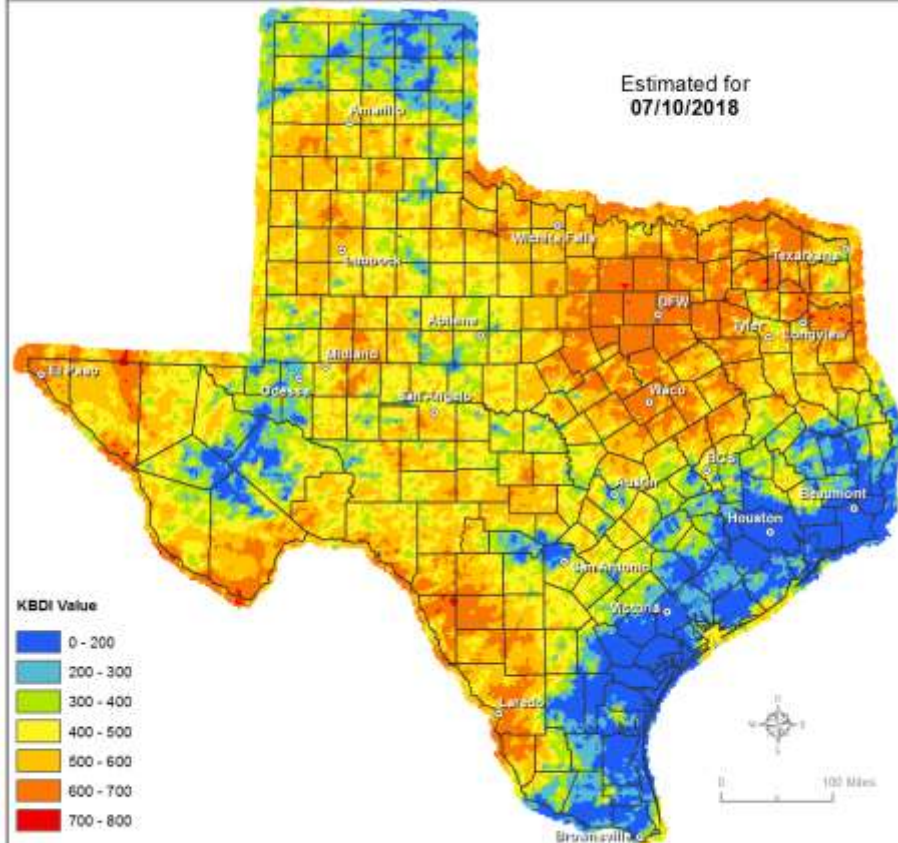
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Archer	Glenn	Randall
Armstrong	Guadalupe	Reagan
Bailey	Hale	Reeves
Baylor*	Hall	Refugio
Bee	Hamilton	Russell
Bell	Hartman	San Antonio
Brewster	Harrison	San Bata
Brown	Hardy	Schleicher
Burnet	Hemphill	Scurry
Caldwell	Henderson	Somervell
Callahan	Hill	Starr
Canon	Hockley	Stephens
Carroll	Hood	Sutton
Chadwick	Howard	Swisher
Childress	Hughes	Tarrant
Cochran	Hunt	Taylor
Coke	Jack	Terrell
Coleman	Jeff Davis	Terry
Comanche	Jim Hogg	Throckmorton
Concho	Johnson	Tom Green
Coryell	Jones	Upton
Cottle	Kaufman	Val Verde
Crosby	Kerr*	Victoria
Culberson	Kimble	Ward
Dallam	Kinney	Webb
Dallas	La Salle	Wilbarger
Dawson	Lamb	Willacy
Deaf Smith	Lampasas	Wharton
Denton	Limestone	Winkler*
Dickens	Lipscomb	Wise*
Dimmit	Llano	Yoakum
Donley	Lubbock	Young
Eastland	Lynn	Zapata
Ector	Martin	Zavala
Edwards	Matagorda	
El Paso	Maverick	
Ellis	McCluskey	
Erath	McLennan	
Falls	Menard	
Fisher	Midland	
Floyd	Mills	
Frederick	Nolan	
Franklin	Oldham	
Fresno	Palo Pinto	
Frio	Parker	
Garza	Parram	
	Pecos	
	Potter	

* Burn Ban subject during official Fire Warning Day
* Burn Ban subject check with County for safety

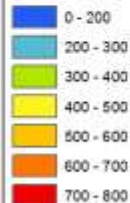
Keetch-Byram Drought Index

(4 km x 4 km resolution)

Estimated for
07/10/2018



KBDI Value



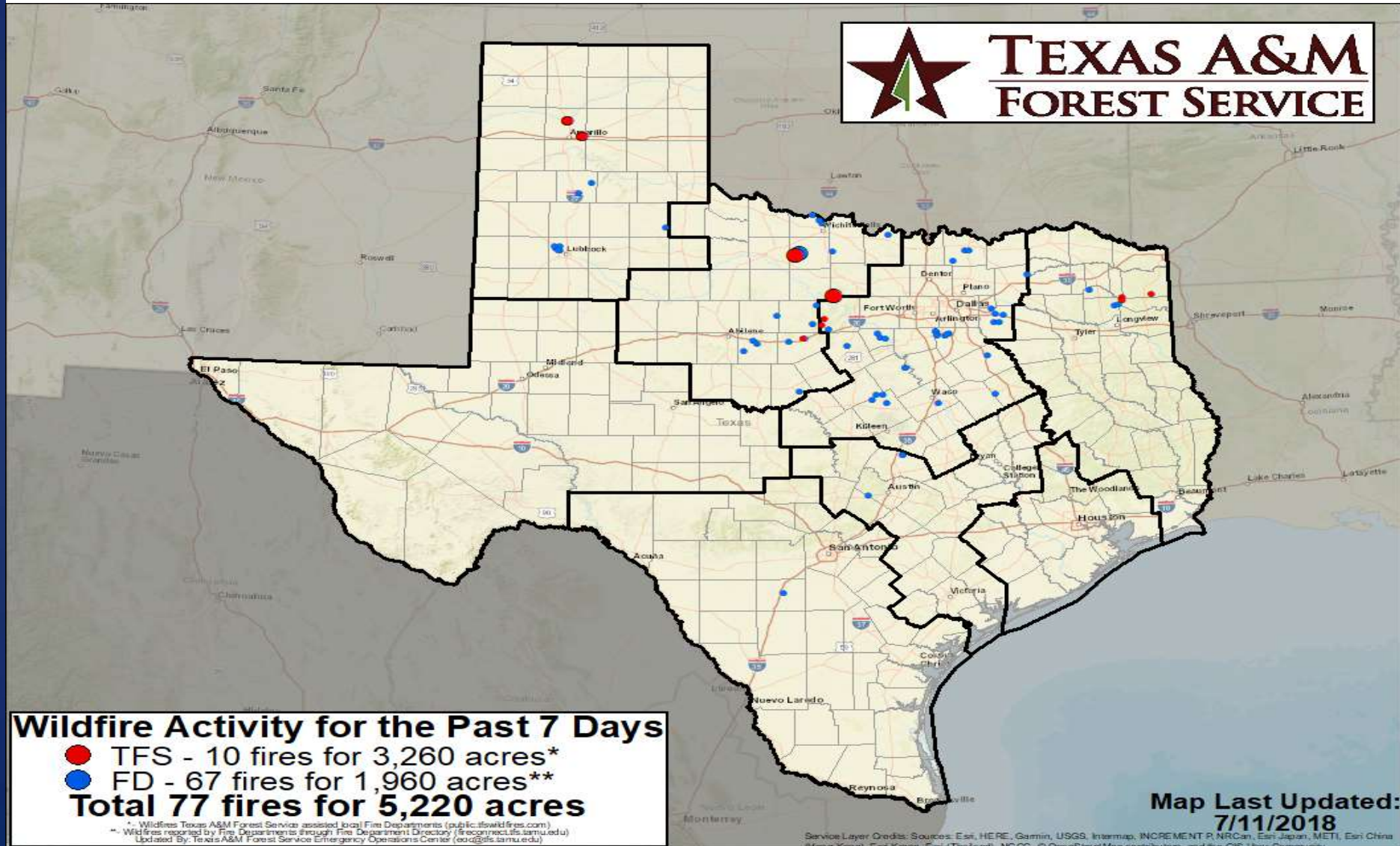
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Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 641 (no change) fires and 205,342 (no change) acres destroyed this year. There are 135 (-1) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list 173 (-36) counties with an average over 400.



Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
07/09/18	07/12/18	Law Enforcement Active Shooter Emergency Response (LASER), Train-the-Trainer	PER-275-1	Dallas
07/09/18	07/13/18	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	G-300	Cypress
07/09/18	07/20/18	Foundations of Emergency Management	E/L-101	Austin
07/10/18	07/11/18	Pediatric Disaster Response and Emergency Preparedness	MGT-349	Corpus Christi
07/10/18	07/11/18	Disaster Preparedness for Hospitals and Healthcare Organizations Within the Community Infrastructure	MGT-341	Wichita Falls
07/10/18	07/11/18	Disaster Management for Electric Power Systems	MGT-345	Texarkana
07/10/18	07/11/18	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	G-300	Cedar Hill
07/10/18	07/28/18	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	Dripping Springs
07/11/18	07/11/18	Disaster Accounting 101 (Module 1)	T-600.a	Kemah

Exercises

DATE(S)		AGENCY/LOCATION	EXERCISE
07/11/18	07/11/18	Ysleta Del Sur Pueblo OEM/EI Paso	Workshop: Emergency Button Response
07/11/18	07/11/18	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers/Hordes Creek	Tabletop: Hordes Creek Exercise
07/12/18	07/12/18	City of Corpus Christi/ Corpus Christi EOC	Workshop: Damage Assessment
07/12/18	07/12/18	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers/ Waco	Drill: Waco Exercise
07/12/18	07/12/18	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers/ Granger	Drill: Granger Exercise
07/12/18	07/12/18	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers/ Georgetown	Drill: Georgetown Exercise

Statewide Significant Events

DATE(S)		LOCATION	EVENT
06/01/18	08/18/18	Canyon	Texas Outdoor Musical
07/05/18	07/15/18	Houston	Houston Astros Baseball